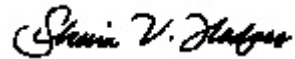


for dismissal with prejudice for failure to prosecute. *See Davis v. Williams*, 588 F.2d 69, 70 (4th Cir. 1978); Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b). No further extensions will be granted absent exceptional circumstances. Plaintiff's counsel's workload does not constitute exceptional circumstances.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Shiva V. Hodges". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

January 9, 2012
Columbia, South Carolina

Shiva V. Hodges
United States Magistrate Judge